

C.J. T.

H.C.S.

Treasury Department,  
FIRST AUDITOR'S OFFICE,

April 23<sup>d</sup>, 1879.

Sir;

In examining your bullion account for the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of 1878, I find that you received for recoupage 662<sup>4</sup> ozs subsidiary silver coin.

May I ask on what authority it was so received, or for some explanation of the transaction.

Very respectfully

M. Raymond

First auditor

To

Hon. James Pollock

Late Supt of the U. S. Mint  
Philadelphia

x Alfred J.

(Rev.)

Pa.

2524

First Student Reading  
(R. W. Reynolds)  
Ape 23/79

Inquiry by what  
authority 66<sup>24</sup> on date  
of issue Coined  
Recd the Seconage;  
Bullion &c & the Banks  
1878

Mr Conforthwaite  
When I recd the foregoing letter so many - I  
presume the Congress referred to were alr aded & such as have  
always been used as bullion for coinage. Both of low &  
heavy Cents or such coins as are re-coined or  
Please Gramm - see Cashier & give me the answer.  
& so that I can reply to P. Andrade of Jan 23/79

J. A. Pollock

Recd Ape 24/79

[Abstract:] Enquires by what authority... 2524

C.J.T. H.C.S.

Treasury Department,  
First Auditor's Office,  
April 23, 1879

Sir;

In examining your bullion account for the 4th quarter of 1878, I find that you received for recoinage 66.24 ozs. subsidiary silver coin. May I ask on what authority it was so received, or for some explanation of the transaction.

Very respectfully,  
R.W. Reynold  
First Auditor

To  
Hon. James Pollock  
Late Supt. of the U.S. Mint  
Philadelphia  
Pa.

10/14 - 437 Treas. U.S.  
23 - 453 Do  
29 - 463 Do  
11/1 474 Do  
12/17 550 Do

X Abraided & - (over)

[Noted on back:]

Mr. Cowperthwaite

Dr. Sir

I recd. the foregoing letter this morning. I presume the coins referred to were abraded & such as have always been recd. as bullion for coinage. Both by law & Treasury Curator such coins are recd. for re-coinage & c. Please examine – see Cochran & c. & give me the answer. &c. so that I can reply to 1st Quarter &c.

Yours Truly,  
Jas. Pollock